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On December 5, 2006, Applicants received the attached Notice of Non-Compliant Information Disclosure Statement, stating that Applicants IDS filed November 21, 2006 lacked a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e).

Applicants respectfully direct the Office to the <u>SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION</u> DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SECTION of Applicants original November 21, 2006 submission (copy attached herewith), in particular page 6 of that section. There you will find the following statement:

Further, the reference CN1336281 (B1) was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the Office to withdraw the Notice of Non Compliant Information Disclosure Statement, received on December 5, 2006, and consider the reference CN1336281 submitted in order to comply with the Applicants duty of disclosure.

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In the alternative, Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 08-3038/10025.0160.PCUS00 and state as follows under 37 CFR 1.97(e):

(1) That each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the Office to consider the reference CN1336281 submitted in the attached Form 1449 and previously submitted to the Office on November 21, 2006.

The undersigned representative requests any extension of time that may be deemed necessary to further the prosecution of this application. The undersigned representative authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or 1.17 that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-3038/10025.0160.PCUS00.

The Examiner is invited to directly contact the undersigned representative by telephone to discuss any issues or questions presented by this paper.

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